

Amendments to the Claims:

Please rewrite the claims as follows:

23-34. (Cancelled)

35. (New) An informational article on which variable information is inserted, said article comprising:

a substrate having a zone for inserting said variable information; and

a refractive image within said zone, said refractive image being sized and arranged such that at least a portion of said variable information is adapted to be inserted over said refractive image.

36. (New) The informational article of Claim 35, wherein said refractive image is a hologram.

37. (New) The informational article of Claim 35, wherein said informational article is a temporary vehicle registration.

38. (New) The informational article of Claim 35, wherein said informational article is a handicap parking placard.

39. (New) The informational article of Claim 35, including a covering secured to at least a portion of said zone.

40. (New) The informational article of Claim 39, wherein said covering is an adhesive tape.

41. (New) The informational article of Claim 40, wherein said adhesive tape includes a write-resistant surface.

42. (New) The informational article of Claim 41, wherein said write-resistant surface includes a layer of silicone resin.

43. (New) The informational article of Claim 42, wherein said silicone resin containing about 2-1/2 to 10 percent by weight of a wax.

44. (New) The informational article of Claim 43, wherein said wax being a polytetrafluoroethylene.

45. (New) The informational article of Claim 40, wherein said adhesive tape is transparent.

46. (New) A method of protecting an informational article on which variable information is inserted, said method comprising:

providing an informational article substrate having a zone for inserting said variable information and a refractive image disposed within said zone;
and

inserting said variable information in said zone so that at least a portion of said variable information is disposed over said refractive image.

47. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein
said refractive image is a hologram.

48. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein
said informational article is a temporary vehicle registration.

49. (New) The method of Claim 45, including
securing an adhesive tape to at least a portion of said zone.

50. (New) The method of Claim 49, wherein
said adhesive tape includes a write-resistant surface.

51. (New) The method of Claim 50, wherein
said write-resistant surface includes a layer of silicone resin.

52. (New) The method of Claim 51, wherein
said silicone resin containing about 2-1/2 to 10 percent by
weight of a wax.

53. (New) The method of Claim 52, wherein
said wax being a polytetrafluoroethylene.

54. (New) The method of Claim 49, wherein
said adhesive tape is transparent.